

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

U.S. Application No. 10/511,050

Attorney Docket No.: Q101060

REMARKS

Claims 1-8 are pending in the application.

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicants elect Group II, Claim 7, for examination. The election is made without traverse.

In addition, Applicants have amended Claims 2-6 so that each is now drawn to a method and depends from Claim 7. Accordingly, Applicants request that amended Claims 2-6 be included in elected Group II for examination.

Reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

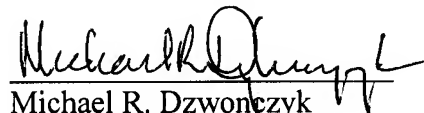
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